

Is ET fed up with home?

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STRANGE markings on East Sussex downland had police and sightseers going round in circles.

The mystery rings appeared overnight in a cornfield near Seaford at the weekend.

Police have been left wondering whether it was extraterrestrials or a clever hoaxer who visited the site.

A policeman spotted the circles in the field at High And Over as he drove to work on Saturday.

"They were clearly visible from the road," a fellow officer said today.

"There was one circle about 20ft. in diameter with four evenly-spaced outer circles about 5ft. across.

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"Where they were the corn had been flattened but there were no scorch marks or foot prints to be seen.

"We had a look at it and duly logged it as a sighting but more than that we don't know. Apparently it is similar to circles found at Salisbury a few weeks ago so UFO societies might be interested in it.

"If it was a hoax it is certainly a very good and elaborate one and many members of the public went up to have a look."

The rings were on part of Rathfinny Farm owned by Mr John Mossop, who was unavailable for comment this morning.